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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Dear Madam:

This communication is responsive to the telephonic interviews between Applicants' Attorney and Examiner Devi held on August 29, 2012 and September 19, 2012 and to the Interview Summary electronically mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on September 18, 2012. This Supplemental Amendment is being filed in order to amend the claims as discussed with the Examiner during the telephonic interviews and should not adversely affect the patent term adjustment calculation in this application as provided by 37 C.F.R. § 1.704(c)(8).¹

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin at page 8 of this paper.

¹ See also Comment 35 of the *Changes to Implement Patent Term Adjustment Under Twenty-Year Patent Term*. "Changes to Implement Patent Term Adjustments Under Twenty-Year Patent Term," 65 Federal Register 181 (18 September 2000), pp. 56366-56394 at p. 56385.